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CHINESE IMMIGRATION.

THE DEBATE IN THE COMMONS.

A Great Change in Canadian Sentiment on the Subject.

Mr. Blake resumed the debate on Mr. Shakespeare's motion that in the opinion of this house, it is expedient to enact a law prohibiting the incoming of Chinese to that portion of Canada known as the province of British Columbia. He pointed out that the colonies of Victoria and Queensland prohibited the immigration of Chinese. The State of California did the same thing. He thought Canada could not do better than follow examples of the legislatures of these places, particularly as Chinamen were an undesirable class. As recently as 1882 eight thousand Mongolians arrived in British Columbia. Out of that consignment there were not five women. The presence of these foreigners was a great drawback to the province. They worked for lower wages than Englishmen demanded, and only spent from ten to fifteen cents a day in food. As they worked so cheaply they kept out an advantageous class of settlers, and as they lived on the smell of an oil rag they took money out of the country and prevented it from circulating in the country. Then the morals of the Chinese were bad in the extreme. British Columbia had a great grievance in this Chinese matter, and he trusted sincerely that parliament would remove it.

Mr. Allen said he had had experience with the Chinese and he was of opinion, after knowing their habits and their immorality, that they should be excluded from the Dominion. The Chinese were not only immoral, but they came into competition with white labor and kept it out of the country. He was not prepared to go at present quite so far as the mover, who proposed to go even farther than Australia and California. He would therefore move that the resolution be amended by substituting the word restricting for prohibiting.

Mr. Blake regretted this motion, as it prevented British Columbia from getting what it desired, and that was the sense of the house on the subject with a view to future legislation.

Mr. Gordon stated that public opinion was growing in its opposition to Chinese immigration. In view of this, he felt sorry that the motion to adjourn the debate had been moved.

Mr. Barnard pointed out that a few years ago it was impossible to get a hearing in the house on this question. Now the feeling was so changed that fully half the members took the view which British Columbia had for so long taken upon it, and this was not a matter for surprise, for if the Chinamen continued in British Columbia they would soon get a foothold in the North-West, and then they would not be long in finding their way to the centre of the Dominion, and doing as much damage to labour there as they were doing in the west.

Mr. Fairbank favored the restriction rather than the prohibition of Chinese immigrants.

Mr. Foster opposed the shelving of the question by adjourning of the debate. He was this year, as he was last year, opposed to the prohibition of the Chinese simply because they were Chinese, but he favored the restriction of immigration. If a Chinaman was a decent and respectable man, he had as much right here as any other man. If he was not a decent man he should be excluded. He would, therefore, vote for the resolution as proposed to be amended by the member for North Grey.

Mr. Wood sympathized with the views of the last speaker, and held that the direct question as to the desirability of restricting Chinese immigration should be voted upon.

Mr. Hesson believed it would be desirable to restrict the class of immigration of which the gentlemen from the west so greatly complained.

Sir John Macdonald—As I have said on several occasions, there is a great deal in the objection taken to unrestricted immigration into British Columbia of people from China. These people are not of our people. They are not of our race. They do not mix with us at all. They do not even become settlers. They come to British Columbia and work for a little time, make a little money, and then return to their own country, taking the money with them. Then there are moral reasons, which one need not discuss here, which render the presence of the Mongolian race very undesirable. All that I quite understand. However, there are some considerations which one must not lose sight of. In the first place, I do not know at this moment what the treaties between England and China on the subject of intercourse, commercial and otherwise, are. I presume, however, that England would not interfere with any legislation of ours, as she has permitted such legislation in the Australian colonies. There is another point which has also to be considered very carefully. It is this. We are just pushing the Canadian Pacific railway. One of the objects of completing that railway is to allow Canada to compete with the United States in the Asiatic trade. I am glad to learn that our great Canadian steamship company have it seriously in contemplation to establish a first-rate class of steamers as soon as the Canadian Pacific railway is finished to Port Moody, running from Port Moody or Victoria to Hong Kong, and perhaps to Canton. These steamers will have to make arrangements in China for getting the trade of that country, and it might seriously impede the success of that line if the Chinese government, and it is a well informed government, knowing all that goes on in the outer world, were to find that though wanting to trade with them we had excluded their people from our land. This is a matter of grave consideration. Then, as regards immigration in the past, there are certain contracts in connection with the Canadian Pacific railway which will be finished, I suppose, next year. I do not think the government could have let such satisfactory contracts if it had been supposed that the contractors could not get Chinese labor. The government, however, are fully alive to the importance of this question, and I believe that on the completion of the Canadian Pacific railway British Columbia will be in a condition to supply its labor with English, Scotch, and Irish labor, and Chinese labor will not be a necessity. I would suggest in the meantime that the hon. gentleman should not press his motion now, not because it is not desirable that it should be passed upon, but because the government will during the present summer take the whole subject up, considering its trade relations, its social relations, and its moral relations as well—(hear, hear)—and will be prepared to come down next session with the conclusions it has arrived at. (Hear, hear). We will issue a commission and have it sit next summer. The commission will examine the whole question thoroughly in all its bearings, and with its report before us we will be in a better position to deal with the subject next year. I am satisfied that the result of such a commission will be in the end the placing of restrictive regulations on Chinese labor. (Applause).

Mr. Shakespeare said it was gratifying to hear so favorable an expression from the leader of the government, but he really thought there would not be any difficulty with the Imperial government if legislation was adopted, because no opposition had been offered to similar legislation by Australia. If a restrictive law would prevent direct trade with China, all he could say was that he would rather have the restrictive law than the trade. He asked hon. members to take the matter home personally and fancy themselves and their families surrounded by the moral influences which accompanied Chinese immigration into any district. He did not hope for much in the way of results from the appointment of a commission, because sufficient evidence on the subject was taken before a committee of the house in 1879.

Mr. Gordon pressed the resolution to a vote, and urged that the matter should receive the serious consideration of the house. The people of British Columbia were thoroughly alive to the importance of this question, and looked to parliament to give them relief.

Mr. Roberts (Hamilton) consented to withdraw his motion for the adjournment of the debate.

Sir John Macdonald said that after the strong appeals made by the representatives from British Columbia, he would suggest that the amendment of the member for Grey (Mr. Allen) be amended by substituting the words "restrictive and regulate" instead of the word "prohibit," and the words "Dominion of Canada" instead of "British Columbia." Parliament could not make one law for British Columbia and another for the rest of the Dominion.

The amendments as propose were adopted, and the resolution as amended was carried.

DELAYED DISPATCHES.

CANADA.

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., April 9.—Thomas Vedder and N. R. Pierson, brothers-in-law, drove to Goat Island yesterday. Not returning, search was made this morning, and Pierson's body was found on Luna Island, shot through the head. The horse and buggy were tied to a tree. Vedder's clothes were discovered lying on the ice, but no trace of him was found. It is supposed the men quarreled and that Vedder shot Pierson, afterwards committing suicide by jumping into the river.

EUROPE.

LONDON, April 10.—The general opinion is that the new speaker Robert Peele lacks nerve, because he failed to suspend Healy, who recently made an improper speech. It is generally understood that Peele was fully determined to repress all manifestations of Irish rowdyism on the floor of the house, but men are beginning to revise their opinion of his firmness, and to lament the absence of the late Speaker Brand.

EASTERN STATES

NEW YORK, April 11.—In the course of the inquiry into the police management to-day, Anthony Comstock said it was thought prior to 1880 that the district attorney's office was as corrupt as the police department now. Comstock animadverted severely upon the administration of District Attorney Phelps. "You are a malevolent and infamous liar," shouted Judge Russell, jumping to his feet and shaking his fist in the witness's face.

"Come, come, this won't do," cried Chairman Rooseveit, and Judge Russell repeated the assertion to the committee. He afterwards apologized for his display of temper.

D. J. Whitney, agent of the society for the prevention of crime, testified he thought the police gave away raids organized upon gambling saloons there for arrest.

A glove contest of four rounds was arranged between Charles Mitchell, the English pugilist, and Billy Edwards, the light weight champion, to take place in Madison Square Garden.

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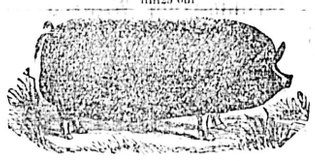

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LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
Notes in circulation	$703,559 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$278,090 00
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	50,321 56	Gold Bullion	5,370 03
Deposits not bearing Interest	$1,155,312 76	Landed and other Property	27,052 62
Deposits bearing Interest	31,407 83	Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate within the Province	$ 1,574 76
	1,186,720 59	Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate without the Province	401,045 98
			402,620 74
		All debts due to the Bank within the Province, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks & Branches	1,480,910 90
		Do without the Province	26,533 78
			1,506,444 68
Total Amount of Liabilities	$1,940,800 95	Total Amount of Assets	$2,219,586 97

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at close of the Quarter ending 31st Mar., 1884 ..... $1,730,000
Rate of last dividend declared to the Shareholders ...6 per cent. per annum and 1½ per cent. bonus.
Amount of last dividend declared $77,850
Amount of reserved profit at the time of declaring such dividend $285,039

(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.
(Signed) GEO. GILLESPIE, Accountant.

VICTORIA, B. C., 3rd April, 1884.

I, WILLIAM CURTIS WARD, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing statement is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within this Province of this Bank during the period specified and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof kept in pursuance of the provisions of "The Banking Act, 1864."

(Signed) W. C. WARD.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 3rd day of April, 1884.
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W. S. GORE,
Surveyor General.

Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, B.C., 8th March, 1884. mh9

NOTICE.

SITTINGS OF THE COUNTY COURT OF CARIBOO will be held at the times and places hereinafter mentioned:—

At Lillooet.....Monday.....9th June, 1884
At Clinton.....Monday.....16th June, "
At Soda Creek.....Saturday.....28th June, "
At Quesnellmouth.....Thursday.....3rd July, "
At Richfield.....Monday.....7th July, "

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JNO ROBSON
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Victoria, B.C., 26th March, 1884. mh28 1m

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NOTICE.

I INTEND TO APPLY TO THE CHIEF COMmissioner of Lands and Works for the establishment of a Public Highway, running in a northeasterly direction from Beecher Bay, through Sections 64, 63, 65, to the end of the present road, near Mr. Battesby's house, Metchosin District.

W. H. LOMAS,
Indian Agent.
Victoria, March 1st, 1884. mh4

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Daily Colonist.

SUNDAY MORNING, APRIL 13TH, 1884.

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(DAILY EDITION)

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BEACON HILL PARK.

The protest of Alex. C. Anderson, Esq., in reference to the building of an agricultural hall at Beacon Hill is deserving of attention. Whatever powers may or may not have been vested in the provincial government with reference to Beacon Hill park it is certain that the deed of the land from the government to the corporation dated 21st of February, 1882, was given under the act to amend the Public Parks' Act, 1876, which declares that it shall be lawful for the lieutenant-governor in council "to grant and convey any public park as pleasure ground set apart or reserved out of any crown lands of the province for the recreation and enjoyment of the public to the city council or corporation;" "upon trust to maintain and preserve the same for the use, recreation and enjoyment of the public," said corporation to hold the land upon the trust and for purposes aforesaid. The deed goes on to say that whereas "the public park or pleasure ground known as Beacon Hill has been set apart and reserved out of the crown lands of the province for the recreation and enjoyment of the public," the land is granted accordingly for the purposes therein named "upon trust to the express use, intent and purpose that the said heriditaments and premises hereby granted shall be maintained and preserved by the said corporation and their successors for the use, recreation and enjoyment of the public." Under the provisions of this deed there would seem to be no objection to the building of an agricultural hall in the park as an edifice eminently adapted for "the use, recreation and enjoyment of the public;" but the same remark may not apply to immigrant sheds which would not only be apt to be attended with many nuisances, but would not be likely in any way to conduce to the recreation and enjoyment of the public, and might be positively dangerous in the case of any epidemic breaking out. The very name of "immigrant sheds" is suggestive, and though it is an improper term to give immigrant accommodation now, it doubtless had its rise in hastily constructed buildings for sheltering the immigrants who were landed with ship fever at Montreal. Immigrant accommodation ought to occupy a healthy, convenient and agreeable location, but certainly ought not to form an adjunct to parks or pleasure grounds. Our climate is a very favorable one, but immigrants are mortal and liable to diseases, like other people, which they are likely to contract on the journey notwithstanding the great advantages in overland travel and the comparatively short space of time required. It is just possible that when the subject comes to be considered in connection with the conditions of the grant of the park to the corporation and the suggestions which have been made in relation to the sanitary phase of the subject it will be deemed that immigrant accommodation ought to be provided elsewhere; but the agricultural hall can scarcely be objected to on the ground advocated by Mr. Anderson. Indeed, it would seem to be a legitimate purpose to which to put a portion of the grounds.

Eastern Canada Mail.

(Per Northern Pacific Railway.)

MONTREAL, April 2.—The libel case brought by the Canada Shipping Company for $25,000 damages against the Ottawa Free Press was concluded to-day after an elequent and forcible address to the jury by Mr. C. P. Davidson, Q. C., who represented the company. The jury found for the plaintiffs and defendants will be cast in heavy costs.

WINNIPEG, April 3.—A terrible disaster occurred near Port Arthur on the railroad in course of construction yesterday by which six men were killed and several injured more or less seriously. The fatality was caused by the premature explosion of a blast.

KINGSTON, April 2 The pewholders of St. George's Cathedral (Anglican) held a meeting and passed a resolution expressing the desire that a change be made in appointing so as to give the laymen a voice. If the synod gives the power Dr. Wilson, who was forced out of the church here for connection with the Salvation Army, will be offered the curacy of the church.

MONTREAL, April 2—The custom receipts at Montreal for the quarter ending March 31st show a decrease of $566,000 compared with the first quarter of 1883.

Judge Taschereau gave a strange ruling in the court to the effect that questions put to a witness must be in French. The counsel objected but the judge persisted. After recess, however, he changed his mind and the witness who could understand the English language was interrogated in that tongue by the counsel.

ST. JOHN, N. B., March 31.—The customs receipts for March at this port were $30,000 less than in the corresponding period last year.

HAMILTON, April 1.—Thomas Young was committed to-day by Judge Sinclair for thirty days for contempt of court. When Bailiff Greenfield was taking him to jail in a sleigh, Young threw a buffalo robe over Greenfield's head and escaped, and has not been recaptured.

FREDERICTON, N. B., April 1.—The New Brunswick legislature was prorogued to-day.

OTTAWA, April 2.—Parliament voted a resolution of condolence connected with the death of Prince Leopold.

In the supreme court to-day in the Berthier election case Mr. Cuthbert was affirmed in his seat.

Mr. Philippe Landry, M. P. for Montmagny, has been served with a writ for sitting and voting in parliament in contravention of the Independence of Parliament act. Mr. Landry, as a captain of militia, receives $40 per annum, hence the action.

Sir John Macdonald is still confined to his room.

The Toronto Evening Canadian, after an existence of about eighteen months, has retired.

Sir Charles Tupper has been confirmed in his seat.

HALIFAX, April 1.—The customs receipts here for March were $50,000 less than last March.

TORONTO, April 3.—Valeria McKenny, an inmate of the lunatic asylum, murdered Rachel Stephens, another inmate, this morning by smashing her head in with a light bucket.. McKenny had been melancholy for some time and last night was put into the refractory ward with Stephens with her to prevent McKenny suiciding. McKenny afterwards died from excitement.

STONEWALL, April 1.—Doctor Pulford, assisted by Doctor McDonald, amputated both feet of the man, Thomas Franklin, who was so severely frozen some time ago. Five fingers were also taken off, and although he is an old man it is thought he may recover.

OTTAWA, April 2.—The Typographical Union of Toronto has petitioned parliament to enact a law restricting Chinese emigration to Canada.

HALIFAX, April 1.—Decision has been given in the Supreme Court in the case of the Queen vs. Lyons, on motion to quash a conviction under the Scott Act at Kemptville, King county. The conviction was quashed in this case as well as in the thirty four others, and the Supreme Court decided that the Scott Act was not, and could not be in force in any country in Nova Scotia where licenses were not in existence at the time of the proclamation. The practical effect is to render illegal all proceedings taken under this act in every county in the province where it has been adopted.

TORONTO, April 2.—An attempt at double murder this afternoon was made by Horace F. Allkins, an artist, his victims being his wife and a man named Hackett, an ex-street car conductor. It appeared that Hackett with his wife and mother, paid a visit to Mrs. Rowell's, Jarvis street, and there met Mrs. Allkins. The party commenced drinking, and on Hackett's wife asking him to come home he refused. She went to Allkins and got him to come to Mrs. Rowell's. On entering the room where Mrs Allkins and Hackett were, Allkins found them drinking. Hackett endeavored to hide, and Mrs. Allkins went up to her husband and sat down on his knee and commenced endearing expressions. By-and-by angry recriminations in connection with Hackett's intimacy with her took place between the husband and wife, and suddenly the former drew a revolver and fired at his wife, the bullet lodging in her leg. Hackett sprang from his temporary hiding place, seized a stove shaker and rushed at Allkins, who fired in quick succession three shots, one taking effect in his groin. A desperate struggle ensued. Hackett dealt several severe blows with the coal shaker and succeeded in getting the revolver from Allkins. The police arrested Allkins, who said he was sorry for his wife, but wished he had killed Hackett. Mrs. Allkins and Hackett went to the hospital. Hackett's wound is considered dangerous. There is considerable excitement over the affair.

Fight Between Two Members of the New South Wales Assembly.

A disgraceful fight occurred within the precincts of the assembly on February 1st. Before the business was proceeded with Mr. Stuart read a letter from Mr. G. H. Reid refusing to take advantage of the Ministers' Seats Validating Act, but pointing out that being a minister it would be impossible for him to appear before his constituents, and asking Mr. Stuart to move that his seat be declared vacant. A debate ensued which was characterised by much warmth on both sides, and interruptions and interjections were of frequent occurrence. Mr. Buchanan, evidently bearing in mind some remarks made on the previous evening by Mr. Wisdom to the effect that he was no lawyer, took occasion to contrast his success at the bar with that of Mr. Wisdom. In ten years Mr. Buchanan said he had made a fortune at the bar which brought him in £500 a year, while Mr. Wisdom only got a brief in an obscure country town. Shortly afterwards Mr. Buchanan left the chamber and was followed out by Mr. Wisdom. They met in the antechamber behind the Speaker's chair. Mr. Wisdom called Mr. Buchanan a liar and scoundrel. Mr. Buchanan, who was standing with his hands behind his back, retorted "You are another," whereupon Wisdom struck the member for Mudgee two violent blows on the face. They closed and both fell to the floor, breaking the chair. The wildest excitement ensued in the house and the hon. members rushed from the chamber into the antechamber and separated the combattants. Mr. Abbott then reported the matter to the house and the galleries were cleared. A resolution was subsequently proposed by Mr. Stuart, as leader of the house, and carried, that Mr. Wisdom should be called upon to attend on February 5th (our latest dates are February 2nd) to explain his conduct. Notwithstanding his severe handling Mr. Buchanan appeared in the house subsequently and took part in the debate on the Medical Bill, although his eyes were very much swollen. Mr. Wisdom absented himself.

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!!

I HAVE JUST RECEIVED A LARGE CONSIGNMENT OF SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS OF THE VERY LATEST STYLES, CONSISTING OF MEN'S, BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S CLOTHING. ALSO, A LARGE VARIETY OF GENT'S FURNISHING GOODS, HATS, CAPS, RUBBER AND OIL CLOTHING.

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THE SETTLEMENT BILL IN THE SENATE.

Failure of the Attempt to Prevent the World Going Round.

Sir Alexander Campbell, in moving the second reading of the Vancouver Island Railway and Esquimalt Graving Dock bill, said that although the coal lands that were offered to this company had been known for years to exist on the island, only two had been worked, and only one remuneratively. These lands had been offered to the Canadian Pacific railway five or six years ago if they would construct the road, but they were unwilling to do so. The same lands, with others, had also been offered to the Clements company, who had also declined. This is not the property of the Dominion, but of the people of British Columbia, and those members from British Columbia who oppose the bill because the lands referred to are valuable coal lands do not oppose it on proper grounds. The amount to be given to the company to enable them to construct the road is $750,000, the same amount as the Mackenzie government proposed to give them, and is now given in order to settle the disputes which had existed for many years with reference to the delay in the commencement of the construction of the Canadian Pacific railway. This bill also proposes to finish a graving dock, for which purpose $250,000 were originally given, but as it was not completed the government considered it wise to finish it themselves as a public work. He contradicted the assertion which had been made by some hon. gentlemen in the house that the government would be equally well pleased if the bill should be rejected, and said the government were most anxious to carry the measure through in order to keep faith with British Columbia.

Mr. McInnes (New Westminster) was very sorry, indeed, to have to place himself in opposition to the government, but he felt it his duty to put his views before the house. He strongly opposed the bill, which, if passed, would be most detrimental to the province of British Columbia, to the Dominion as a whole, and to the Canadian Pacific railway, the shares of which would immediately drop from ten to fifteen per cent. Dunsmuir, his son, and son-in-law are quite a financial minority. There are only four Americans in the company, but these own four Pacific railroads and another owns the Pacific mail steamship line, which has a monopoly of that part of the Pacific. This company (the Vancouver railway) would receive immense quantities of coal, and for which they pay no royalty, as there is none in British Columbia on minerals, neither would they pay taxes. He claimed that if the subject had been properly advertised English capitalists would have been certain to come forward.

Mr. McDonald supported the bill.

Mr. Nelson opposed the bill. He said it had been the hope of the people of Victoria that this railway should form a part of the Canadian Pacific railway, with the terminus of the Canada Pacific railway at Esquimalt; but if it would not, then too much money is being given away for its construction, because it will be an unimportant line.

After some further discussion the following division was taken for the second reading:

CONTENTS — Messrs. Allan, Almon, Archibald, Armand, Benson, Botsford, DeBoucherville, Sir Alex. Campbell, Carvell, Chaffers, Chapais, DeBlois, Dever, Ferguson, Girard, Hamilton, Howlan, Lacoste, McKay, McKindsey, McMaster, McMillan, Macdonald, MacFarlane, MacInnes (Hamilton), Macpherson, Miller (Speaker), Montgomery, O'Donohoe, O'Dell, Paquet, Pelletier, Plumb, Robitaille, Ross, Scott, Skead, Smith, Turner, Trudel, Vidal—41.

NON-CONTENTS — Messrs. Alexander, Dickey, Grant, Haythorne, Kaulbach, Leonard, Lewin, McLelan, McInnes (New Westminster), Nelson, Power, Pozen, Read, Stephens, Thibaudeau, Wark—16.

The bill was then read a second time, and will be referred to the Committee of the Whole to-morrow.

The Annexation of Merv.

The united service Gazette says:—The torpidity of the nation with regard to the encroachments of Russia in Central Asia is almost incredible. Yet the danger to our Indian Empire resulting from the annexation of Merv is so serious and so imminent that the country will be wanting in the commonest of common-sense, in the most elementary notions of patriotism, in the simplest instincts of self-preservation, if it does not insist upon the Government taking the matter up with energy. This is not a party question, or at all events it ought not to be a party question, for on its prompt and satisfactory solution depends the interests and honour of England and the very existence of the Empire. Without India the British Empire would be maimed indeed, and with our energies concentrated on the preservation of that important dependency Russia would be at liberty to work its sweet will on Turkey. If, therefore, Mr. Gladstone persists in ignoring or underestimating the peril, every Englishman, whatever his political views on the treatment of Ireland, the Franchise Bill, tenant right, &c., should give his support to those who are opposed to the man who is false to his trust and country. But is the peril so serious, so close at hand? Many of our public men, either actuated by party spirit or misled by ignorance, asserted but a short time back that whatever might be the case in the distant future there was no ground for alarm at present. Events have falsified their prophecies, and have silenced these optimists, for Russia has now placed herself in a position to which it was held that she would not attain for many years to come. A fortnight ago we pointed out in general terms what the consequences of the annexation of Merv were.

In a pamphlet by Charles Marvin entitled "Russia power of seizing Herat" it is stated—"It was an opinion held by the late General Skobeleff, and it is shared by many generals now in power in Russia, that the simplest way to finally accomplish the conquest of Turkey is to upset our sway in India. The idea is not that Russia should take over the control of India, but that, posing as a benevolent Power, should help to shake off from the backs of 250,000,000 natives 100,000 tyrannical, money-grubbing Englishmen, of whom those oppressed natives are heartily sick."

The Sea to be Swallowed by the Earth.

There is good reason for believing, with Seamann, La Meunier, Frankland and Sterry Hunt wat in the remote future of the earth the waters of the sea will be withdrawn into her interior. The process of withdrawal is reality taking place even now. Enter any cavern, such as Kent's Hole in Devonshire, on the driest and hottest day, or even after weeks of dry weather, and you shall find the roof wet with waters which have been slowly making their way from the surface, where they fell in the form of rain months before. Throughout the whole crust of the earth, except in a few spots where rain never falls, the same process is going on all the time. Only a portion of the water, which thus falls on the earth, ever returns to the surface in the form of springs. Artesian wells show how slowly some of the strata of the earth permit water which has thus reached them to pass through; but they show also how large a portion of the earth's waters are already beneath the surface * * * It may well be that the amount actually withdrawn from sea surface in this way, and not restored, does not produce a change of level of more than a foot in a thousand years. Still even that would involve a very important alteration in the aspect of the earth in such a period of time as belong to a planet's history. A million years would reduce the sea level by a thousand feet, and a period of time which cannot be reckoned long when compared with the vast periods of which the heavens and the and the earth speak to us, every trace of water would have disappeared from the surface of the earth.

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A SITUATION BY AN EXPERIENCED DRY Goods man.
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TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UNTIL APRIL 18th, at 2 o'clock p.m., for blasting rock, corner Fort street and School Reserve.
Apply to S. C. BURRIS,
ap13 2p Architect, Yates st.

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A FURNISHED COTTAGE, SITUATED AT THE corner of Moss and Richardson streets.
Apply to
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A GOOD FRUIT ORCHARD, WITH VEGETABLE Garden and several Sheds.
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Will be held at Blue Ribbon Hall,
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Instrumental and Vocal Solos, Quartettes, Glees and Orchestral Music and Recitations.
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ap13 Real Estate Agent, Victoria.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE Undersigned up to Noon TUESDAY, 22nd April, for the erection of two semi detached two story residences, Chatham street, near Government. Also, for two one-story residences, Chatham street, near Blanchard.
Lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted. JNO. TEAGUE,
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REAL ESTATE BROKERS,
ACCOUNTANTS,
DOMINION AND PROVINCIAL LAND SURVEYORS, ETC.
OFFICE—YATES STREET, NEXT ORIENTAL HOTEL.
ap13 1m (Up Stairs.)

INFORMATION WANTED

OF THE WHEREABOUTS OF JOHN LEWIS, of Kingston, Ont., late of Leech River, Vancouver Island; when last heard of was at Merne's Camp, Surrey, B. C. Any information concerning him will be thankfully received. Communicate with FELL & CO., Fort street. ap13 1mdw

ANGELA COLLEGE

WILL RE-OPEN AFTER THE EASTER VACATION
ON THURSDAY, APRIL 17TH.
ap13 2w

NOTICE.

THE VICTORIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS WILL NOT be reopened until
THURSDAY MORNING NEXT, the 17th inst.
In order that the rooms may be cleansed.
By order of the Trustees.
COOTE M. CHAMBERS,
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[Standard copy.]

STRAW HATS!

W. C. CAMERON HAS JUST RECEIVED 4 CASES MEN'S & BOY'S STRAW HATS AND HELMETS IN ALL THE NEWEST STYLES.

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ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the estate of PERRIN KENT, late of Cassiar, deceased, are requested to send same in, with particulars and items, to the undersigned on or before the 21st inst., as after that date the administrator will proceed to distribute the estate and pass the accounts. D. M. EBERTS,
Solicitor to Jno. C. Calbreath the Admins'r.
Victoria, 13th April, 1884. ap13

DISSOLUTION.

THE PARTNERSHIP OF LUKER & FINDLEY has been dissolved this day by mutual consent. W. G. LUKER will carry on the business in his own name, and will collect and pay all debts contracted by the firm.
Victoria, April 9th, 1884. ap13 1w

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Apply to MRS. M. ADAMS,
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PORTER AND CHOREMAN IN A DRUG STORE Must have good references and not afraid of work. Address of advertiser at this office. mh27 1m

NOTICE.

TURNER, BEETON & CO.'S ESTABLISHMENT, Wharf street, WILL BE CLOSED from Thursday evening, 10th, till Monday morning, 14th April.
TURNER, BEETON & CO.
Victoria, April 9th, 1884. ap10

CAME TO THE PREMISES

OF THE UNDERSIGNED, ON OR ABOUT THE 18th October, 1883, a Bay Horse, black mane and tail; branded on the left fore shoulder "W." If not claimed in one week will be sold to pay damages. S. TOD,
ap11 6t Oak Bay.

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between Reginald Nuttall and William Henry Mason, under the firm name of Nuttall & Mason, as Real Estate Agents, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Mason will carry on the business for the future on his own account.
Dated Victoria, 10th April, 1884.
R. NUTTALL.
W. H. MASON.
Witness:—W. J. GOEPEL. ap11

NOTICE.

MR. S. GRAY, STAIRBUILDER, BEGS TO ANnounce that he has removed from his old premises on Government street, to his new workshop
AT THE COR. OF CHATHAM & GOVERNMENT STS.
Victoria, March 15th. mh16 1m

GOLDSTREAM HOUSE.

W. G. BOWMAN'S 'BUS WILL LEAVE THE Stable at 9:30 a m. every Sunday during the summer for Goldstream House. Fare for the Round Trip, ONE DOLLAR. mh28 1m

LAWN MOWERS.

AN ASSORTMENT OF PHILADELPHIA LAWN Mowers, cutting from 10 to 20 inches. This Machine is the favorite with both Amateur and Professional Gardeners. For sale by
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March 26th, 1884. mh26 1m2p

B. C. EXPRESS CO., LIMITED.

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FRANK S. BARNARD,
aps 1m Manager.

REMOVAL.

JNO. TEAGUE,
ARCHITECT

HAS REMOVED TO OFFICES OVER SHEARS & Page, London House, Government street.
ap9

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VICTORIA, B. C.

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To all in need of a quiet and healthful home, Maplehurst will be found to possess superior advantages.
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REAL ESTATE BROKERS,
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FRONT STREET, NEW WESTMINSTER,
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GROCERY, PROVISION
AND FEED BUSINESS,
And hope by a strict attention to the public wants and first-class goods combined with low prices, to merit a share of public patronage.
Goods delivered to any part of the city and suburbs
FRESH IMPORTATIONS by every steamer.
FARM PRODUCE bought and sold.
☞STORE OPEN SATURDAY, APRIL 5th.☜
FRED. CARNE, JR.
WM. MUNSIE.
Victoria, B.C., April 3, 1884. ap4 1m

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JUST RECEIVED—WATERPIPES AND OTHER materials from manufacturers. Will supply and put in same at greatly reduced prices.
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YATES STREET ap5 1m NEXT LANGLEY & CO.'S

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LARGE LISTS of City Property, many surburban lots of small acreage, and leasehold property for sale.
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FARMING LANDS throughout the Province.
Port Moody Agency, Mr. Charles Foster.
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ALLSOP & MASON,
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Daily Colonist.

SUNDAY MORNING, APRIL 13TH, 1884.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Apl. 12—Str Ruby, New Westminster
Str Beaver, Nanaimo
Str Geo. W. Elder, Pt Townsend

CLEARED.

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Str Beaver, Nanaimo
Str Geo. W. Elder, San Francisco

PASSENGERS.

Per GEO. W. ELDER, for San Francisco—S H Webb, T H Coulter, Chang Shee, Tee Tin, Pooi and 27 in the steerage.

Per str R. P. RITHET, from Nanaimo—Grimm, McMillan, Partridge, O'Brien, Walker and child, Mrs Rollins, Miss Rollins, Miss Sturt, Parsons and wife, Mrs Bayden, Miss Dunsmuir, Jno Wilson, McCaul, Goepel & Oppenheimer, Cessford, Dawson, A B Gray, J E Burke, H Bonsell, Simpson, Copeland, R Anderson, Mrs Hughes, H Monks, Lewis, Saywaad, Croft.

Per str PRINCESS LOUISE, fm New Westminster. Mr and Mrs Bishop, Mr and Mrs Lodds, F Sinclair and wife, McTeigh, Mrs Please, G Burns, A H Purdy, C McDonald, G McDonald, J Johnstone, T Nicholson, J Ross, H J Clyde, J Brown, J Lowen, Lawson, Wilkinson, Henderson, Campbell, J Riley.

Per str OLYMPIAN, fm Puget Sound—J H Hill, M F Hatch, J L Smith, C K Pritham and wife, J P Ness, wife and 2 svts, A Onderdonk and wife, F Sullivan, F C Pendare, J McKinnon, J E Williams, E Lewis, A Adams, W Smith, W Ord, H Smith, H M Bates and 3 chdn, H W Hoethy, Miss Lennon, Thos Levi, A McKenkie, J Simpson, P Des, J K Warden, Mrs and Miss Hastey, L Lefontaine, J W Boyd.

CONSIGNEES.

Per str OLYMPIAN, from Puget Sound—J Weller, D Leneven, John Cameron, Oppenheimer Bros.

DEATHS.

In this city, on the 11th inst., William Allatt, a native of Yorkshire, England, aged 42 years.

The funeral will take place TO-DAY at 2 p.m from the residence of Mr. J. Wriglesworth, Yates street, and at 2:30 p. m. from the Reformed Episcopal Church.

THE DRY DOCK CONTRACT

TO BE AWARDED TO McNAMEE & CO.

Local Indebtedness to be Paid.

Yesterday it was announced that the contract for drydock construction will be returned to McNamee & Co., from whose hands it was taken by the late government in 1882. As a preliminary to taking possession of the site and plant, the indebtedness of the firm to local parties will be paid forthwith and in full by McNamee & Co. Two important creditors were settled with yesterday and others will be attended to as soon as possible. Under the circumstances no better arrangement (which is the outcome of Premier Smithe's visit) could have been made. The work will be prosecuted vigorously this summer.

A WICKED ACT.

Attempt to Wreck a C. P. R. Train.

MATSQUI, April 12.

Some scoundrels removed the bolts and fishplates from several rails near Nicomekl bridge to-day, with the object of wrecking a train which with passengers and goods was momentarily expected. The act was discovered just in time to prevent a terrible disaster. Search is being made for the villains.

Victoria Passengers.

(Exclusive to The Colonist.)

SAN FRANCISCO, April 12.—Following is the Mexico's Victoria passenger list, sailed at 10½ o'clock this morning:—Miss M. Blackett, C. A. Fields, M. Foltz, J. W. Lee, Miss Nellie Martin, Mrs. H. Boyd, A. Nelson, Jas Guichon, Fred Kaye, Mrs. Pitts and servant, Mrs. Murphy, L. G. Young, Miss Sipel, Mr. Diedon and E. G. Lozinski.

B. C. Members Protest.

(Exclusive to The Colonist.)

OTTAWA, April 12.

The British Columbia representatives at Ottawa have formally protested against the disallowance of the Anti-Chinese Bill

Personal.

Mr. A. Onderdonk and wife returned from the east yesterday.

Mr. F. W. Foster, J. P., of Clinton, was among the arrivals by the Olympian.

Mr. J. P. Ness, wife and two servants, arrived by the Olympian straight from London. They have taken Senator Macdonald's residence for two years, or while the senator and his family are in Europe.

The Misses Macdonald leave for Europe via the Northern Pacific to-morrow morning.

Hon. Mr. Smithe and Mr. Shakespeare, M. P., left Ottawa yesterday for British Columbia.

Port Hammond Junction.

On and after the 15th inst., all price lists of lots in the townsite of Port Hammond Junction now in the hands of real estate agents will be cancelled.

1w J. P. DAVIES & CO.

Just Received,

At Jos. Sommers, Government street, two doors north of Union Hook and Ladder House, a fine assortment of Baby Carriages, choice ENGRAVINGS and PICTURES. Fine WALNUT BEDROOM SETS at auction prices, to make room for new goods on the way.

All kinds of OFFICE AND FANCY FURNITURE and picture frames made to order and on hand. fe23 2m.

H. SHOREY & CO., WHOLESALE CLOTHIERS AND MANTLE MANUFACTURERS, beg to announce that Mr. C. L. Shorey will visit British Columbia about the 10th of May with their samples for the coming Fall and Winter, and will, during his stay in the province, stop for a short time at Victoria, New Westminster and Nanaimo. Merchants from the interior are invited to make appointments by letter addressed to C. L. SHOREY,

dw* Driard House, Victoria, B. C.

LAW SOCIETY.—Hon. M. W. T. Drake was elected treasurer, and Mr. J. P. Walls, secretary of the B. C. Law Society, yesterday.

THE Dominion House was prorogued on Friday.

What Some People Say.

That Colonel Ingersoll has modified his earlier views regarding eternity being a shoreless sea without beacon light or star. He now speaks of hope, born of love, not religion, standing on the farther shore, waiting, trusting, and patiently listening for answering cries.

That even Siberia has a comic newspaper, but it is the only comic thing in the country.

That a pile of one million one dollar bills would be forty-five feet high. If you have any doubt about this, make a pile.

That the Chinese gambling houses were closed last night in anticipation of a visit from the police.

That human nature is queer. A man who is not of a very lovable nature was always kind to little children. "When I was a boy," he said, "I was thumped and kicked around and didn't get a kind word or look from one week's end to another, so I know how much children think of kindness."

That Clothing is Cheap
AT CAMERON'S.

That parties seeking to invest in Real Estate should consult Mr. Reginald Nuttall. See advertisement. *

That in the current number of the Monthly Magazine, published at Windsor, the editor thus concludes a sickening panegyric of the Heir Apparent: "The Psalmist, with all his experience, would never have written, 'Put not your trust in princes,' had he ever known the Prince of Wales."

That over fifty members of the English house of commons have promised their support to a bill which will, in all probability be introduced this session for the purpose of revising the book of common prayer.

That for the best value in clothing, hats, blankets, trunks, etc., go to W. G. Cameron's Mechanics' store, Shotbolt's building, Johnson street. *

That the annual Easter choral festival of ST. JOHN'S CHURCH will be held in the church on Tuesday evening April, 15th at 8 p. m.

That it is many years since Millais has given the world a military picture. His chief picture of this year tells the story of an incident during the rebellion of 1745—the revels of a royalist regiment during the halt at a village on the line of march.

That for the Viceroy of India there are being built at East Cowes a steam launch and steam cutter, the former of which is to be adorned with a spacious kiosk, and to be richly furnished.

That Blue Ribbon Hall will have to be greatly enlarged if the people who wish to get in but cannot find room are to be accomodated. The doors should also be altered to open outwards.

That for farms in the Fraser valley and City lots in New Westminster and Port Moody, apply to C. D. RAND, Real Estate Broker, New Westminster. dw

That those who want a quiet game of billiards should go to the Garrick's Head, as the latest improved table is there. *

That a coffee house is opened opposite St. James Hall, Government street, where the "Mocha," tea or chocolate, with any kind of cake, are dispensed at the marvellously low price of 15 cents. *

That a gallant young official of New Westminster city, whose parents reside in Victoria, yesterday levanted with a fair daughter of the Royal City and the pair were married at Granville. The parents of the young lady were opposed to the match.

That a petition from 2,305 Knights of the Assembly of Labor, Toronto, praying for legislation to prohibit Chinese immigration into the Dominion, was presented to the house of commons.

That a singular case is reported from Johnstown, Pa. A two-year old boy having teased a game cock, the enraged bird turned upon its tormentor, threw him down, and inflicted injuries which are expected to cause his death.

BLUE RIBBON MEETING.—Another large audience attended last evening. The president, Mr. Rudge, speaking of moral reforms, alluded to the tedious warfare in the United States in accomplishing the freedom of the slave, culminating in the strife of the battlefield. He stated that emancipating mankind from a habit which is leading so many to degradation and crime was a noble work. Mr. Humber also exhorted the audience to stand firm on the side of morality. He alluded to the gambling dens still existing in the city and stated that the special constables belonging to the club could open the door behind which the gambling is still carried on, and concluded by inviting every non-member to sign the pledge. The orchestra consisting of four of the best musicians in this city played several fine pieces from the principal operas, notable among which was a selection from Traviata and Poet and Peasant. Miss Rudge gave a splendid recitation and several new names were added to the roll. On Monday evening the Young Women's Temperance Union will hold a free reception.

STEAMBOAT TESTS.—Trials of speed among steamboats are common these days, and others are looked forward to in the near future. The Olympian had a run between Seattle and Tacoma with the Emma Hayward on Wednesday last, and beat the Hayward nearly half an hour. The Eliza Anderson had a little run yesterday with the Emma Hayward between Olympia and Steilacoom, and was beaten a quarter of an hour. The Eliza Anderson came down from the capital city in 5½ hours, and it is thought she will make the run to Victoria from that town, including short stops here and at Port Townsend, in 13 hours. The Alaskan, going up the Columbia river the other day, had the company of the State of California, alleged to be the fastest steamship on the coast, and she beat the State easily enough. The Alaskan is expected to make it very disagreeable for the Fleetwood on the river, and probably will succeed in doing so, to the entire satisfaction of her owners. The Olympian and Alaskan are probably the champion smooth water speeders of the Pacific.—Post-Intelligencer.

CONDOLENCE.—All the legislative bodies and municipal councils throughout the Dominion are passing addresses of condolence with the Queen. Shall it be written that the Premier City of the British Pacific, which derives its name from Her Majesty, neglected that duty?

VIOLIN SOLO.—At the concert of the Blue Ribbon Society next Saturday evening Mr. S. Gandy will play a beautiful violin solo "Home Sweet Home." *

SAANICH.—Fall wheat all along the peninsula is six inches high and promises well. More fall wheat should be sown. It is almost always a good crop.

CRICKET.—A game of cricket will be played on Beacon Hill on Monday commencing at 1 p. m.

WE hear that the H. B. Co.'s land nea Beacon Hill is shortly to be subdivided and placed in the market.

Garrison Artillery Inspection.

The inspection of the headquarter batteries of the B. C. regiment garrison artillery took place yesterday on Beacon Hill at 5 p. m. His honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Cornwall were on the ground to witness the inspection, and a large number of ladies and gentlemen, evidencing a marked increase of interest in our gallant militia.

The men to the number of about 90 marched from the drill shed at 4 30 p. m., and prompt to the moment, Acting Deputy Adjutant-General Lieut.-Col. Holmes at 5 p. m. was received with a general salute. After a short inspection of the line, during which as at the present, and in the marching past, the regimental band played particularly well. The men under command of Major Dupont marched past in column and afterwards in muster column.

At the conclusion of the march past the adjutant of the regiment, Capt. Wolfenden put the men through the manual and firing exercises, when various battalion movements and evolutions were executed under command of Major Dupont.

At the conclusion of the parade, the Deputy Adjutant-General addressed the men as follows:

"Major Dupont, officers and men of the Headquarter Batteries—I wish to say to you how particularly well pleased I am with your parade to-day. Your appearance is most soldierly. I am especially well pleased with your steadiness. You could scarcely be more steady without being perfect. Your marching was excellent, and I am sure the effect of your soldierly appearance and steadiness to-day will increase in this community respect for the militia. Some mistakes have been made in executing the various evolutions, but taken altogether, I am highly pleased. It is greatly to your credit that so many of your men have enrolled in the school of gunnery, as added to the steady duties for 90 days they will have to perform, they have their private business to attend to."

The men were then marched back to the shed and dismissed, after being congratulated by Major Dupont on the commendation they had won from the Deputy Adjutant-General.

Before the dismissal of the parade, Sergt.-Major Kinsella was called to the front, and on behalf of officers and men, thanked by Major Dupont for the zeal and attention he has displayed in connection with his duties to the three batteries. His soldierly bearing and strict example of discipline were especially noticed as having had a marked effect on the men. On behalf of the captains of three batteries, as some return for his services as instructor, Major Dupont presented him with a purse of $75.

We congratulate Major Dupont, the officers, non-commissioned officers and men of the batteries on the very successful inspection.

Unavoidably many men were prevented from parading by their private duties, but we understand nearly two-thirds of the enrolled men answered to their names, which was a very fair proportion. Our young men should enrol in the B. C. regiment of garrison artillery.

New Westminster

(Columbian.)

COLLINS VS. SUTER.

This case, which was laid over at the last county court, came up for hearing before Mr. Justice Crease on Thursday afternoon. Collins, who has for some time been employed as local reporter on the Guardian, sued Suter for $100. The plaintiff claimed that his agreement was to receive $10 per week cash and $10 per week to be placed to his credit as capital to be applied towards obtaining an interest in the business at some future time. But the conduct of the defendant had been such as to destroy all possibility of a fair partnership. Defendant denied the partnership arrangement. Judgment was given in favor of Collins for $50 and costs. The case was one of the most amusing that has ever appeared in our courts. It began at one o'clock and continued until after five. Collins was exceedingly demonstrative in the witness box and could scarcely be kept within reasonable bounds by the court or the counsel, and his antics were the source of much merriment. Mr. McColl (Corbould & McColl) appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. Bole for defendant.

The death of Mr. D. G. Armstrong adds one more to a long list of sad bereavements in this family. Within about two years Mrs. Armstrong has lost a son, a daughter, a son in law and a husband. The deceased gentleman was an exemplary Christian and his end was peace. We are sure the widow and surviving family have the sympathy of the entire community.

We understand that the contract for the Nicomekl bridge has been awarded by the government to Mr. W. C. Macdougall.

DISCOVERY OF THE BODY OF ROBERT CRAREY.—Yesterday morning at 9:30 the body of Robert Crarey of Prospect Lake, who had been missing since the 7th March last, was discovered floating in the harbor by a small boy named Robert Wagg who claimed the $100 offered by the government. The body was placed in the jail yard by Sergt. Flewin; it was clothed but much decomposed. In the pockets of the blue overalls were found a knife, a 25 cent piece, pipe and tobacco, box of caps and other articles. The deceased was seen coming out of the Omineca on the night of the 7th March last, having two or three dogs with him, he called at door of the Occidental, and was last seen near the Johnson street ferry slip. He lived at Prospect lake and had some 80 head of cattle; he was about 50 years of age, of intemperate habits and a native of Durham, England. Yesterday at 1 o'clock an inquest was held on the body by coroner the Hon. A. F. Pemberton when it appeared there was nothing to show any violence, and that deceased had come to his death by drowning.

C. P. R. LIABILITIES.—Rumors are current to the effect that the cash advances made to the Canadian Pacific Railway Company were not sufficient to meet their outstanding liabilities. It is said that they ask a further advance of $5,000,000 in cash in addition to the $7,500,000 loan. They have received nearly $3,500,000 in the estimates. Sir Charles Tupper, in answer to Hon. Mr. Blake in the house on the 2d April, said that as far as he was aware no application had been made to the government for an increase in the cash advances.

NANAIMO.—The coroner's jury in the case of Samuel Harris, who was burned by the explosion of the Vancouver Company's shaft, censured the fireman in charge for not taking proper precautions.

QUESNEL.—Mr. T. F. Sinclair, contractor for removing the rocks at Cottonwood Canyon, having successfully completed the work on the 20th of March, recently arrived in Victoria. He reports snow on the ground from Quesnel to the Clinton hill.

O. R. & N. STOCK sold at $1 in New York on the 10th.

Marine.

Steamer Lottie arrived yesterday from San Juan, loaded with lime, poultry, etc.

The barque Pacific Slope, Capt. Barnes, will be down to-day lumber laden from Moodyville, and bound for Sidney.

Schooner Carolena, after being lengthened, was launched from Laing's ways yesterday afternoon, and will leave on Tuesday for the West Coast to engage in the sealing business

Steamer Pilot will leave for Barclay Sound on Tuesday.

Steamship Geo. W. Elder sailed at noon yesterday for San Francisco. She carried only six Victoria cabin passengers.

Steamship Empire arrived at Nanaimo on Friday. She will load at Wellington.

Ship Harvester, barque C. O. Whitmore, schooner Beulah and steamship Empire are loading or awaiting turn at the Wellington collieries. Ships J B. Walker, Great Victoria and Challenger are at the shute of the V. C. Co.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 12.—Arrived—Steamer State of California, 54 hours from Portland. Ship Soltarie, Nanaimo.

Sailed—Steamer Oregon, Polemann, for Portland. Steamer Mexico for Victoria. Steamer Barnard Castle for Nanaimo.

Municipal Police Court.

(Before Hon. A. F. Pemberton.)

SATURDAY, April 12.

Patrick Carroll for being a vagrant was fined $5 or 14 days' imprisonment.

Mrs. Williams, alias Lily of the Valley, for being drunk and disorderly was fined five shillings.

Ah Jim and Frank Irvine were charged with fighting on the street. Ah Jim stated that Irvine assaulted him and he was compelled to defend himself.

His honor fined them each $5 and $1.75 costs or fourteen days' imprisonment.

The court adjourned until Tuesday.

Obituary.

Mrs. McKenzie Bowell, wife of the hon. Canadian minister of customs, died suddenly in California on the 3rd inst. Mr. J. C. Miller, ex M. P. P., of Parry Sound, died at Colton, California, on the 2nd inst., in his 47th year. Mr. James Beatty, for many years one of Canada's ablest journalists and proprietor of the Toronto Leader during its existence, was at last accounts from Toronto at the point of death. Hon. John Stevenson, first speaker of the Ontario parliament from 1867 to 1871, died at Napanee on the 1st inst. in the 79th year of his age.

RUNAWAY.—Yesterday at 2 p. m. two horses in a heavy wagon used for hauling lime bolted on Cormorant street towards Douglas. Near the Commercial hotel the horses attempted to turn on Douglas street but the impetus carried them against the verandah of Mr. Jos. Gosnell's grocery breaking the posts, and also some goods beneath; the water trough was also struck. The horses next ran against a large windlass near the Masonic temple. The wagon was badly wrecked, but the horses were secured and suffered no injury.

TROTTING MATCH.—The trot on Beacon Hill yesterday afternoon between Cameron's horse "Jim" and Briggs' "Billy" attracted a large crowd. Quite an interest was taken in the race by sporting men something like $4,000 in bets having been made. The horses made very fair time, Cameron's horse taking both heats and the race.

HUDSON BAY RAILWAY.—It is said that a syndicate has been formed to build and operate the Hudson Bay railway. Financial aid will be secured from England and among the Canadians interested will be James McLaren of Buckingham, P. Purcell of Cornwall, J. J. Macdonald and A. Manning of Toronto. The line will be carried through to Port Simpson in British Columbia.

WE are informed upon good authority that the Allan Co., of Montreal, intend putting on a line of steamers between Japan and China and Port Moody. We have to congratulate Messrs. Beaven and Wilson, as on account of the steamers' draught of water the wharves and appointments will probably be built on their property.

EASTER HOLIDAYS.—The trustees of the Victoria public schools have extended the Easter holidays to Thursday morning next, in order to allow the different rooms to be thoroughly cleansed. Considering that these rooms have never been scrubbed since the opening of the building, this cleansing process must be very necessary.

FOUR STORIES.—C. Bossi has commenced the erection of a 4-story brick building, 60 by 60 feet, on Cormorant street.

CATTLE FROM THE EAST.—A contract has been made for the freighting of from 45,000 to 50,000 head of beef cattle from Minnesota over the Northern Pacific to Yellowstone Valley.

LAKE HILL PROPERTY.—Mr. Robert McKenzie will be found on the premises to show visitors through this magnificent estate. Maps can be had at the office of J. P. Davies & Co. 1w

N. W. ELECTION.—Mr. Bole and Mr. Edmonds have issued addresses. Mr. Cunningham's address has not yet appeared. Nomination on the 18th; polling on the 21st.

N. P. TRAFFIC.—The Northern Pacific railway earned $902,000 in March, and expects to earn $1,500,000 in April.

I. X. L.

We are now opening our SPRING CLOTHING. Direct importations from the manufacturers in England, Canada and America. They are unsurpassed for style and make. We also receive by every steamer New Styles in Hats and Furnishing Goods, every article is guaranteed and marked in plain figures.

Call and See.

T. L. DAVIES, Manager.

I. X. L. Store, cor. Government and Johnson Street. *1m

Spring Trade.

By the arrival of large shipments of new goods yesterday, ex steamers Elder and Wilmington, our stock is now complete in every department. Special attention is directed to our millinery and mantle departments, which contain the latest styles of the season.

SHEARS & PAGE,
London House.

Victoria, April 8th, 1884. 2w

Destruction of forests means floods, and drouth, and loss of fertility; and those mean destruction to property, followed by misery, poverty, degradation, and final abandonment of the land.

Total Abstinence, Temperance and Christianity.

TO THE EDITOR.—As a sincere friend of temperance and total abstinence, too, and being withal a Christian, I venture to offer some remarks on these subjects in the columns of your paper.

If we look into the state of things prevailing when Christianity was promulgated and the world was to become subjected to its blessed influences, we find that matters of moral right and wrong had been made out to be matters of indifference, while matters of indifference had been made out morally right and wrong, and as such, obligatory without any individual choice against the first of these grave errors. The Baptist entered his solemn protest by a life of rigid self-restraint, and by preaching repentance, and his great successor did the same both by precept and example. Against the second, the Saviour directed His action when He came as He said himself, "eating and drinking." By this double method, the reformation of the fallen was encouraged, while any such reformation on false principles was precluded. And with respect to this latter method pursued by Him, who was the perfect model man, great mistakes have been made and much querulous and contentious folly expressed by "the children of the market-place." Now, as the Baptist was only the total abstainer, and Jesus the temperate man, I make bold to affirm this, that there are few facts in our Lord's life, and few words of His blessed lips, on account of which men have better reason to thank and glorify Him for his wisdom, honor and manliness, than when He says "the came eating and drinking," and so confounded those who would establish the tyranny of a fictitious morality. Indeed, as Mr. Farrar well puts it, at the very start of his ministry the Lord demonstrated that "His sanction is to be given, not to a crushing asceticiesm, but to a genial innocence." We look on his religion therefore as emancipating men from the assumed authority of man, whether used in making the commendments of God of more effect, or in impressing restrictions of their own desiring as obligations of an agonizing scrupulous. We also conclude that when Hindoos, Mahometans, and other Easterns, come to sit at the feet of Jesus in their right mind, they will both return to a pure moral code and brush aside the artificial restrictions by which men enslave them. Is it not then a cause of surprise and of sorrow, when Christian advocates of total abstinence, going outside of the broad foundations which Christianity has laid down, use arguments by which this heavenly religion is held up to contempt and taunted with incompleteness, because forsooth its Divine author cannot be paraded as the patron of a tyrannical pharasaisn. And if we look into the working of these systems, so beluded to the disparagement of Christianity, what do we find? We find the Mahometans, Hindoos and Buddhists in respect of a high morality utterly corrupt; in respect of civil and religious liberty that they just do not know what it is, and in respect of manliness and empire, that they have no expansive power and do but hang together on the lingering traditions of the past and the accidents of European policy. I ask, are Englishmen to become thus depraved and debased? If well-meaning social reformers may interfere with our personal liberty and interdict us in what we are to drink, why not (as among the model Easterns) also interfere with what we are to eat, and then with what we are to read, (perhaps *The Colonist* among the rest) and finally with whom we worship. Tyranny has oft come from kings and conquerors; oft has it come just as heavily from pastors, and the people in Massachusetts, to wit; why then "hire the Syrians to fight the battles of the Lord," or worse still, why use over again Pompey's elephant that disordered his own array of battle and lost him the empire of the world? But "wisdom is justified after children," and to effectually grapple with the evils of intemperance we must remember that there are methods by which this great work may be carried forward and has been gloriously advanced, which do not involve Christian men in the suicidal folly of him who sawed away his best at the branch of the tree upon which he sat. With your permission I shall explain in a future communication what these methods are. AN IMMIGRANT.

Lake School.

TO THE EDITOR:—In the Standard of the 10th inst. there is a letter with respect to the ever-vexed question "The Public School in Lake District."

'Tis true that there has been a difference of opinion as to rebuilding the school on the old site for good reasons, as there were, in the opinion of a large majority of parents, who supported the school insuperable objections to that site, and they made their opinions felt by keeping their children from attendance and thus caused the closing of the school.

That the votes, "according to law," were supposed to be taken, but erroneously so as the election was left in the hands of non-electors, and bachelors, who had no interest in the matter save the bond which help them together to serve a purpose outside of school matters altogether.

We are, as parents, quite willing to await the decision of the government on this question, but will in no way consent to be overridden by clamour and chicanery. A PARENT OF LAKE DISTRICT.

Feminine.

A Japanese woman dresses her hair once in four days.

Susan B. Anthony wears ruby velvet and point lace.

The novelist Miss Wallis is a maiden of 20 and a Hollandese.

The Princess Krapotkin is reading for a medical degree in Paris.

In the Salem, Mass., normal school there is a class of girls learning carpentry.

Dr. Watts is said to have written one of his sweetest hymns after being refused by a woman.

All sorts of odd and curious ornaments are now worn by the ladies perched on the shoulders.

It requires three days in which to compete the marriage ceremony in China, but when it is done it is a strong job.

Leap year gives women the privilege of whistling when they want to stop a horse car. But unfortunately leap year does not give her the ability to do so.

Thirty-one of eighty-seven participants in the civil service examination for clerks to serve in the Philadelphia postoffice answered the requirements, and the two highest are women.

Of women who never marry there are more blondes than brunettes. In a majority of cases where divorces are granted one of the parties has blue and the other brown eyes.

The highest prize attainable to English musical students, the Mendelssohn scholarship, has been won this year by a woman, Miss Mary Wurm. One of her chief teachers in piano music was a woman, too—Clara Schumann.

In the opinion of many fowl fanciers the white cochins are the most beautiful of all the Asiatic class. They are profitable as egg producers and make a good roast. The standard weights are: Cocks, 11 lbs; cockerels, 9 lbs, hens, 9 " pullets, 7½ lbs.

BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH

EXCLUSIVE DISPATCHES TO THE COLONIST.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

THE OBJECTS OF THE CLAN NA GAEL.

HUNTING THE CAREYS.

Death of An American Consul.

Failure of Bankers.

EUROPE.

LONDON, April 12.—Edward Smith, American consul at Mannheim, died of apoplexy last evening in a railway carriage near Reading. He was on his way home.

ANTWERP, April 12.—Messrs. Ghistan, bankers of Charleroi and Artweritz, have failed; liabilities sixteen million francs.

LONDON, April 12.—The Times prints a communication and the oaths of dynamiters and Clan Na Gael Societies; also, giving an account of how dynamite is obtained in France. It is asserted that the Clan Na Gael has received a letter bearing the Russian postmark from the informer McDermott pleading his innocence and begging for mercy. The society treated the letter with silent contempt and its agents are tracking him. The same article says Matthew Brady recently arrived in Paris from New York to investigate the truth of the rumor that Peter Carey was hiding there. Careful search was instituted, but proved fruitless, whereupon Brady returned to New York leaving orders to cable him at once if any of the Careys should be discovered.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 12.—The U. S. surveying schooner Onnalaska sailed to-day for Alaska for the purpose of surveying the river discovered there a year ago.

UNITED STATES.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—A special from Baltimore says a sensation was occasioned in Catholic circles to-day by the announcement that Sister Inez, of the Catholic sisterhood, had escaped from the convent at Annapolis and had made serious complaints against the sisters in charge of that institution. Sister Inez is a handsome blonde, 19 years of age and is a sister of Mrs. Laura Farmer, a highly respectable lady in this city. Her name previous to entering the convent was Mary Magdalina Windsor. She had been two years in the convent. On the night of January 31st she escaped in the full dress of the sisterhood and sought refuge at her sister's home, where she now is. Sister Inez says she became disgusted at the conduct of the sisters at the convent. She proposes to reveal all, will give names and prove all she says. She says that threats have been made to kill her if she tells what she knows, yet notwithstanding this she will speak out freely as she says she wishes to warn the people against the convent for the reason that she could not remain and witness the scandalous conduct of the sisters.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—North Pacific coast, partly cloudy weather and light rains. California, partly cloudy weather, local rains in the north.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., April 12.—Connecticut is flooded with pauper immigrants, forced out of Castle Gardens by the agents of the steamship lines. A gang of men recently at the depot in this city were making the place uninhabitable. They finally went on the early train to Meridan, where they were sent out of town by the authorities. Another motley crowd had tickets to Meridan, and the taxpayers are indignant over the prospect of tramps swarming over the state.

CHINA.

PARIS, April 12.—According to advices from Hue the Annamites state that Hunghoa has been evacuated.

CANADA.

OTTAWA, April 12.—Premier Smithe, of British Columbia, left for home to-night. He said that on arrival there he would call a special meeting of the legislature and would re-enact the Chinese bill recently disallowed by the federal government.

MEXICO.

GALVESTON, April 12.—The News' Laredo special says that for several days rumors have been rife of threated revolutions throughout Mexico which are about assuming a tangible shape.

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$50 to be paid as first Monthly Instalment; balance in Monthly Instalments of $25.

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When the land is ready for distribution the lots will be offered at Auction to those holding interests, and the highest bidder above the upset price shall have such lot assigned to him.

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Arrangements have been made with Dr. W. F. Tolmie to extend Douglas street 66 feet wide towards Beaver Lake, commencing at the junction of Saanich and the New Government Roads, running through Cloverdale Estate, thence continuing through Lake Hill Estate along the Corporation water mains, making one of the most level and finest drives of the many excellent thoroughfares to and from Victoria.

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DEEDS will be delivered at Three Dollars each.

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LIFE ON THE RAIL.

A Thrilling Scene in a Western Car.

St. Louis, March 30.—Passengers on the Chicago & Alton train that left Kansas City yesterday evening and arrived in St. Louis this morning, witnessed a thrilling incident occuring at the dead of night and while the train was rattling along at the rate of about 30 miles an hour. Among the passengers who boarded it at one of the way stations was a man named Powell, a druggist, of Gilliam, Mo. Conductor J. W. Dunsmore came through the train from the forward part collecting tickets. When he reached the place where Powell sat he stopped for his fare. Powell said that he wanted to get off at Gilliam. "This train does not stop at Gilliam," said the conductor. "You will have to ride to Glasgow, as that's our nearest stopping place." A controversy followed, in which Powell got very angry but finally paid his fares. Powell got up put one hand in his pocket and followed. He overtook the conductor near the rear of the second car from the last. Just as he had opened the door and was stepping out on the dark platform Powell came up, threw his left around Dunsmore's head and pulled it back so as to expose his throat. At the same instant he drew from his pocket with his right hand a large pocket knife, the blade of which was open and made a desperate attempt to cut Dunsmore's throat. The conductor was at a great disadvantage in the darkness and one of his hands is maimed, and he has only a partial use of it. Still he was game, and throwing up his good arm, he managed to strike the hand that held the knife just as it was reaching for his throat. The effect was to change the direction of Powell's thrust, and the knife sank into Dunsmore's cheek just below the eye. A hard pull at it made it tear its way in a semi circular course through the flesh, and baring the cheek bone for several inches Dunsmore clutched at the knife, but missed it, and Powell, still garroting him from behind, made another thrust at his face, cutting the other cheek in exactly the same manner. Before he could strike again Dunsmore, who is a muscular man, tore himself free and turning around struck Powell two heavy blows in the face with his good hand, knocking him back several feet into the car through the open door. The passengers by this time became aware of the desperate struggling going on, and separted the men. Powell resumed his seat. Dunsmore went through the next car and almost crying in his anger at the assault, begged that somebody lend him a revolver. One of the passengers on learning the circumstances, gave him a revolver, first, however, exacting a promise that he would use it only for the purpose of arresting Powell, and not for revenge Cocking the weapon, Dunsmore went forward to the car where Powell sat. As Dunsmore entered the car with cocked revolver, gleaming eyes, mutilated face, and clothes, cheeks, and whiskers covered with blood, the picture was most dramatic, and the passangers, who did not know of the promise given by him when he procured the pistol, were appalled at the prospect of a tragedy. Approaching the seat occupied by Powell, Dunsmore covered him with the revolver, and, in a voice which was heard above the roar of the train, exclaimed:—

"Now throw up your hands."

Powell saw by the wounded man's eyes that death was the only alternative, and he slowly and suddenly raised his hands above his head and remained motionless. Dunsmore ordered him to give up that knife. Still holding up one hand he put the other in his pocket and produced the knife, which Dunsmore took possession of. He was then told that he was a prisoner, and he remained perfectly submissive until the train reached Glasgow, where he was given in charge of a constable. The conductor's wounds are not of a dangerous character, but he will be distigured for life.

A "Scene" in the Queensland Assembly.—In the Assembly, on January 30, Mr. Morehead, the leader of the opposition, moved the adjournment of the House to call attention to a breach of faith on the part of the government. He said before the House met the members were told that no important business would be transacted but new measures were now brought down every day in the absence of many members who would have liked to be present. Mr. Griffith (the Premier) denied that he had introduced any bills but the Exchange Bill which were not mentioned in the assembly Mr. Perkins made a savage attack on the Premier, saying that he had more than once been convicted of not telling the truth. Mr. Hurley stigmatised this as a most cowardly attack. Mr. Perkins' remarks were received with great uproar and cries of "ruffian," "shame," "kick him out." Mr. Griffith moved that the member for Aubigny be not further head. A heated and excited discussion followed, and personal remarks of a most offensive nature being freely bandied about, Mr. Perkins called Mr. Brookes a "reformed drunkard," and Mr. Brookes called him a "great blackguard from the lowest degrees ef society." Being called to order, the latter withdrew his remarks. Mr. Morehead, supported by a majority of the opposition, objected, as the motion was striking at the liberty of speech. Mr. Hurley quoted the 95th standing order, showing that the house might deal as they thought fit. He had been ten years in the New South Wales assembly, and had never seen such conduct as Mr. Perkins had exhibited. The Speaker ruled that Mr. Griffith's motion was out of order as a precedent. The motion for adjournment of the House was negatived. Mr. Guiffith moved—"That Mr. Perkins' speech be not reported in Hansard, as it was unfit for the records of the House." Mr. Macrossan pointed out that Mr. Perkins had not delivered a speech, but only read extracts. Mr. Hamilton stigmatised the Premier's motion as an attack on the privileges of the House merely to save himself from outside criticism. Mr. Perkins referred to Mr. Aland, the senior member for Toowoomba, as "holy and pious," and refused to withdraw or apologise. The speaker requested him to withdraw while his conduct was under discussion, and, after much discussion he withdrew. Mr. Griffith then moved that Mr. Perkins be censured and called on to apologise. An acrimonious discussion followed, and the motion was eventually carried, the voting being—Ayes, 37; noes, 13. Mr. Perkins then apologised, and said he exceedingly regretted he had made such false charges. The motion for adjournment was put and negatived. The debate on Mr. Griffith's motion was proceeded with, and, after a pretracted discussion, the motion was carrid by 25 votes to 12.

Continental papers refer to the burden thrown on communes by the increasing number of husbands and fathers who disappear and are alleged to have "gone to America." In Switzerland, especially, where times are bad now, this grievance is felt. By means of the police and the Hue and Cry police paper, guardians of the poor in England keep a very sharp lookout for such offenders.

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THE ESTATE OF CAPT. WILLIAM SPRING, LATE OF VICTORIA, B. C., DECEASED.

Particulars of all claims against the above named estate are to be sent in, and all debts and effects due the same are to be paid and delivered to J. H. Lawson, Esq., of the Hudson Bay Co., within one month from this date.

EDWIN JOHNSON,
Solicitor for the Executors,
J. H. LAWSON,
W. T. LIVOCK,
C. SPRING.

Victoria, B.C., April 9th, 1884. ap10 1m

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MUNICIPAL.

(NO. 105.)

BY-LAW

TO REGULATE THE REMOVAL OF BUILDINGS.

Whereas it is expedient to provide for the regulation of the removal of Buildings within the City of Victoria.

Therefore the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria enacts as follow :—

1. No person shall remove, or cause or permit to be removed, any building into, along or across any street without having first obtained permission of the Mayor and Council.

2. All applications for permission to remove any building or buildings into, along or across any street shall be made in writing to the Mayor and Council, and shall describe the building and state its location, the place to which the building is to be removed and the streets required to be used in removing such building.

3. The applicant for such permission shall obtain from the City Surveyor a valuation of the building he desires to remove and shall enclose such valuation with his application. All applications for the removal of any building shall be accompanied by a fee of $5 and shall state the number of days required for such removal.

4. No permission shall be given to remove any building into, along or across any street unless such building as aforesaid shall have been valued by the City Surveyor as being worth at least one hundred dollars, when it is necessary to have the building valued.

5. Any person removing any building shall diligently, and with all practicable speed, remove the same on, along and across the streets and to the place where permission has been granted, and shall, while such building is being removed, place a beacon light on the front of such building and a beacon light on the back thereof, and shall continuously keep such beacon lights burning from sunset to sunrise.

6. Any person violating any of the provisions of sections one and five of this bylaw shall on conviction before the Police Magistrate or other Justice of the Peace of the City of Victoria be liable to a penalty not exceeding twenty-five dollars for each violation thereof together with the costs of conviction and in default of payment of any such fine together with the costs of conviction it shall be lawful for the Police Magistrate or other Justice of the Peace convicting as aforesaid to issue his or their warrant to levy the amount of fine and costs by distress and sale of the offender's goods and chattels, and in case no sufficient distress to satisfy the amount of fine and costs shall be found, it shall be lawful for the Police Magistrate or Justice of the Peace as aforesaid to commit the offender to the common gaol for any period not exceeding one month.

This Bylaw may be cited as "The Buildings Removal Bylaw, 1884."

Passed the Municipal Council this Nineteenth day of March, 1884.

Reconsidered and finally passed this Twenty-sixth day of March, 1884.

JOS. W. CAREY, Mayor.
{ Seal } WM. LEIGH, C.M.C.
mh29

(NO. 104.)

A BYLAW

To fix the Remuneration of certain Officers in the employ of the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

Whereas it is desirable to fix the remuneration of certain Officers and Employes of the said Corporation.

Be it therefore enacted by the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, as follows:

1. The several officers and employes who are now or hereafter may be appointed to perform the duties connected with the several offices specified in Schedule "A" hereto, shall, whilst they shall continue to be employed in such positions respectively, receive as remuneration salaries at the rates and at the times specified in the Schedule.

2. There shall be paid to the City Barristers, as an annual retainer, the sum of Three Hundred Dollars, payable on the 30th day of June and on the 31st day of December in each year.

3. All moneys required to be paid under and by virtue of this Bylaw shall be payable by the Treasurer of the Corporation, under the authority of the Mayor and Finance Committee, for and on account of the Municipal Council of the said City of Victoria.

4. The Schedule "A" hereto annexed shall form part of this Bylaw.

This Bylaw may be cited as the "Officers' Remuneration Bylaw, 1884."

Passed the Municipal Council this Fifth day of March, A. D. 1884.

Reconsidered and finally passed this nineteenth day of March, A. D. 1884.

JOS. W. CAREY, Mayor.
{ Seal } WM. LEIGH, C.M.C.

SCHEDULE "A."

OFFICES.	RATE.	
Assessor, Collector, Accountant, Treasurer and Water Works Commissioner .... At the rate of $166 66⅔-100 per month.		
Auditor	$200 per annum	
Assistant Clerk, Water Works Collector and Messenger.... At the rate of $100 per month.		
City Surveyor ..	" $100	"
Health Officer ..	" $60	"
Pound Keeper ..	" $60	"
Cemetery Keeper ..	" $50	"
Secty of Cemetery Com..	" $20	"
Foreman of Street Wks.	" $75	"
Teamster ..	" $65	"
City Carpenter ..	" $65	"
Park Keeper ..	" $15	"
Caretaker of head Water Works ..	" $60	"
Police Magistrate .... $1,000 per annum payable in equal monthly payments of $83 33⅓-100.		
Supt. of Police .... At the rate of $100 per month		
Segt. of Police ..	" $90	"
Constables, each ..	" $70	"
Any new Constables—		
For the first year ..	" $60	"
For the 2nd year ..	" $65	"
For the 3rd year ..	" $70	"

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DOGS AT LARGE.

The public are requested to take notice that all dogs found at large within the city limits after the 31st inst., without the corporation tag for the current year will be impounded and dealt with in accordance with the provisions of the "Pound Bylaw."

Dog tags can be obtained on application at the City Hall, Douglas Street.

THOS. RUSSELL,
Collector M. C.

City Hall, Victoria.
March 22nd, 1884. mh23

PUBLIC NOTICE.

The public are requested when visiting the Government Buildings at James Bay or passing through the grounds, not to walk upon the grass plots; and are notified that no thoroughfare through the grounds will in future be permitted between Eight o'clock in the evening and Seven o'clock in the morning.

Dated 3rd March, 1884.

By order.
W. S. GORE,
mh4tf Surveyor-General.

THOS. TROUNCE ARCHITECT, ETC.

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VALUABLE REAL ESTALE

FOR SALE.

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TWO LOTS on the S. E. corner Kane and Douglas streets, 120 feet frontage on each street, with Buildings thereon, immediately opposite the new Union Club-house. Apply to JOHN J. RUSSELL,
ap6 3m Hansom Driver.

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In Re Lot 26, E. Half of Suburban Five Acre Lot No. 6, Town of Victoria.

Take notice that after the expiration of six weeks from the date hereof an application will be made to Mr. Justice Crease for an order directing the Acting Registrar General to effect registration of the above mentioned piece of property in the name of Richard Maynard.

Dated Victoria, B. C.,
March 20th, A. D., 1884.

DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
mh23 law6w Solicitors for Applicant.

DWELLING FOR SALE.

The dwelling house and premises, situated at Ross Bay, now in the occupation of Mr. Matthew T. Johnston.

In addition to the Dwelling there are five acres of land, with good Garden and Paddocks.

For particulars apply to
L. LOWENBERG.
Government street,
Victoria, 3d March, 1884. mh4tf

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In North Saanich, within ten minutes' walk of Saanich mill and wharf. A farm of 100 acres of excellent land, well fenced and watered; ten acres under cultivation, ten more capable of being added this spring, the greater portion of the remainder being easily cleared. Frame Buildings in good repair and suitable for the farm. The Stock, consisting of 3 cows, 25 sheep, 6 hogs and a quantity of poultry, go with the farm. It is seldom such a desirable farm comes into the market. For further information apply on the premises to
ARCH'D COPELAND.
North Saanich, 17th March, 1884. mh19w1m

FOR SALE.

The farm and buildings known as the "Warwick Ranch," situate at Grand Prairie, in Kamloops District, belonging to the Estate of the late Joseph Thatcher Jones.

The Property fronts on the Okanagan and Kamloops Waggon Road, and contains 320 acres, of which 100 acres are now under cultivation.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th May, for the purchase of the above property, and further particulars can be had on application to him, or at the office of Mr. Edwin Johnson, Barrister-at-Law, Victoria. TERMS CASH.

Deeds will be at the purchaser's expense. The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.
J. C. PREVOST,
mh29dw1m Administrator, Victoria.

LAND REGISTRY ORDINANCE, 1870.

LOT No. 1239 in the City of Victoria.

A certificate of indefeasible title to the above mentioned lot will be issued to PETER CORR on the 7th day of May, 1884, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned in writing by some person claiming an estate or interest in said Lot or some part thereof.

CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT,
Acting Registrar General.
Land Registry Office,
4th February, 1884. fe5

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☞ Telephone Call, 23. J. R. TAIT,
WM. BOYD
Victoria, March 31st, 1884. ap1

NOTICES.

Notice is hereby given, that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase three hundred and twenty acres of land in Lillooet District, situate on south branch of Gaspar Creek, about 8 miles from its mouth.

Commencing at a stake near a spring; thence up stream 80 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence easterly 80 chains; thence northerly 40 chains to place of commencement, covering my houses and corrals.

T. HARPER.
Victoria, B. C., 7th Feb., 1884. fe16

I hereby give notice that I have applied to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and works to purchase "Ragged Islands," containing five hundred (500) acres, more or less, situated in the Straits of Georgia, Coast District.

JESSE M. COWPER.
Victoria, B. C.,
12th February, 1884. fe15 2m

Notice is hereby given that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purase five thousand acres of land, situated in the Yale-Kamloops Division, in what is known as the Douglas Lake Pass, commencing at a stake at north-west corner and adjoining the Indian Reserve foot of Douglas Lake; thence east one mile and a half; thence south about five miles in the direction of Minnie Lake; thence west one and a half miles; thence north to place of commencement. Said land is for pastoral purposes, and only suitable for that purpose.

fe15 S. TINGLEY.

I hereby give notice that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 1,000 acres of land, more or less, of land on Cortes Island, described as follows:—

Commencing at a stake at Squirrel's Cove, north of Indian Reservation; thence west to stake on Salt Lagoon, Carrington Bay, about 80 chains; thence north about 160 chains; thence east to the coast; thence following the coast to the point of commencement.

JOSEPH FENNELL BOTT.
February 8th, 1884. fe15

Notice is hereby given that we have applied to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 850 acres of land in Quatsino District, Victoria Land Recording District, described as follows:—

Commencing at a point on the north boundary line of Section 1, Quatsino District, and 80 chains west from the north-east post of the said Section; thence true north 67 chains; thence true west 160 chains; thence true south 40 chains, more or less, to the said north boundary of Section 1; thence N. 75° E. along the said boundary line to the initial point.

GEORGE THOMSON,
A. S. FARWELL,
CHARLES PAGDEN,
THOS. RUSSELL,
Victoria, December 5th, 1883. fe15

We hereby give notice that we intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase five thousand (5,000) acres (more or less) of land situated on Grahame Island, and described as follows, viz:—

Commencing at a stake on coast north of "Tell River"; thence 120 chains west; thence 640 chains south; thence 80 chains east; thence along coast line to point of starting.

R. M. REID,
A. A. GREEN,
S. L. KELLY,
W. R. CLARKE.
Victoria, B.C., Feb. 6th, 1884. fe21

Notice is hereby given that we have applied to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase six hundred and forty acres of land (more or less) situated in Otter District, and bounded as follows:—

Commencing at Rudd's western stake; thence 60 chains, following the shore; thence 80 chains north; thence 100 chians, more or less, to the Jordan River; thence following the course of the river to Rudd's north-eastern stake.

BELMONT TANNING & BOOT & SHOE M'F'G CO. (Limited.)
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Notice is hereby given that we intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 480 acres of land situated in New Westminster District, near Malaspina Straits, described as follows:

Commencing at the North-east corner of Lot 450 G 1; thence east 80 chains; thence north 60 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 60 chains to point of commencement.

The Moodyville Saw-mill Company (limited)
R. P. RITHET,
Secretary.
9th February, 1884. fe27

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned intends making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase Mary Island, containing one thousanp (1000) acres, more or less, situated in the Straits of Georgia, Coast District.

COOTE M. CHAMBERS.
Victoria, B.C., Feb. 4th, 1884. fe6 3taw2m

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for leave to purchase the following described land:—

One hundred and sixty acres of land situated immediately to the north of and adjoining Sections Nos. 50 and 51, and bounded on the west by Sections 46 and 47, Sooke District.

ROBT. E. JACKSON.
6th February, 1884. fe9

I hereby give notice that I have applied to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 1,600 acres (more or less) of land on Cortez Island, as follows:—

Commencing at stake on Gorge Harbor; thence north, to Salt Lagoon; thence west, round coast, to point of commencement.

G. PERRIN.
Victoria, B.C., 6th Feb., 1884. fe9

I hereby give notice that I have applied to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 1,000 acres (more or less) of land on Cortez Island, as follows:—

Commencing at stake on east side of Gorge Harbor; thence east 80 chains (more or less); thence south, to Blind Creek and Salt Lagoon; thence west to the coast.

JOSH. FITZ-MATHEW.
Victoria, B.C., Feb. 6th, 1884. fe9 2m

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NOTICE.

QUESNELLE QUARTZ MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

Location of Works, Hixon Creek, B. C.

A special general meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the office of the Company, Quesnelle, B.C., on MONDAY, the 9th day of June, 1884, for the purpose of receiving the report of the retiring directors and for the election of a board of directors for the ensuing year, and for the dispatch of any other business that may arise. By order of the Directors.

ap5dw R. J. SKINNER, Secty.

NOTICE.

From and after this date I will only accept COIN FOR RENT, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.

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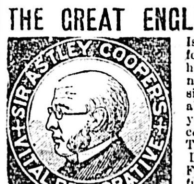

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Rock Foreman	$3 to $4 ℔ day	
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Masons	$2 50 to $3 50	"
Stonecutters	$3 to $3 50	
Blacksmiths (1st class)	$3 50	"
do (2d class)	$3	"
Drillers	$2 to $2 25	"
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All outside labor 10 hours per day.

All carpenters to furnish their own chest tools.

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A. ONDERDONK,
mh7 General Manager.

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Leaves Victoria at	5.00 a.m.
Arrives at New Tacoma at	6.00 p.m.
Arrives at Portland at	7.00 a.m.
Leaves Portland at	7.30 a.m.
Arrives at Walla Walla at	9.35 p.m.
Arrives at Helena, Mon., at	7.00 a.m.
Arrives at St. Paul, Minn., at	12 25 p.m.

ATLANTIC EMIGRANT TRAIN.

Leaves Portland at .... 1.30 p.m.
(Emigrants are carried on Express Trains between Helena and St. Paul.)

PACIFIC EXPRESS.

Leaves St. Paul at	4.05 p.m.
Leaves Helena at	1.30 p.m.
Leaves Walla Walla at	2.55 a.m.
Arrives at Portland at	4.00 p.m.
Arrives at New Tacoma at	2.30 a.m.
Arrives at Victoria at	3.00 p.m.

PACIFIC EMIGRANT TRAIN.

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

$100 REWARD!

Whereas Robert Crarey, of Lake District, has been missing since 1st March instant, and there is reason to believe some mischance has befallen him. The above reward is hereby offered for the recovery of the said Robert Crarey, dead or alive.

By Command.
JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
Victoria, B.C., 26th March, 1884. mh28 1m

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BROTHERHOOD OF CARPENTERS AND JOINERS OF AMERICA—VICTORIA UNION NO. 48.

All carpenters and joiners are requested to take notice that the strike for NINE HOURS is still in force here, as a few of the employers have not acceded to the demand of the Union.

Strangers entering the province are asked not to work longer than 9 hours a day, and not to work at all for employers who have not subscribed to the rule.

mh25tf J. HOLLAND, Cor. Secty.

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